TOWN OF DAVIE TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM/PHONE: Dennis Andresky, Director 954-797-1150

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SUBJECT: Resolution

AFFECTED DISTRICT: Townwide

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION, APPROVAL AND EXECUTION OF A GRANT FOR FUNDING FOR THE 2005/2006 CULTURAL YOUNG AT ART PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE BROWARD CULTURAL COUNCIL, EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60,000.

REPORT IN BRIEF: The ECD (Education and Community Development Grant) is for \$30,000 with a 50% cash match of \$30,000, bringing the entire grant to \$60,000. The Parks and Recreation Department will provide art classes by the Young at Art Children's Museum for approximately twenty to twenty five children at two sites. The facilities include Eastside Community Hall and Orange Park. The children will receive, at no cost, two hours of art instruction, museum to go kits, and transportation to 2-4 local museums. The Parks and Recreation Department will also provide ballet classes offered by the International Ballet Academy for approximately twenty children. The children will receive, at no cost, one hour of ballet instruction, tights, leotards, & shoes, and will perform on stage for a performance with the International Ballet Company.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: This is the sixth year that the Town of Davie Parks and Recreation Department has applied for funding from the Broward Cultural Council, Education and Community Development grant. Approximately 60-75 children ages 5-13 will be exposed to quality cultural opportunities by participating in this free program.

CONCURRENCES: R 99-346, R 2000-246, R 2001-331, R 2002-270, R-2003-293

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted? Yes in FY 04/05

If yes, expected cost: \$60,000

Account Name: Cultural Grant Expenses 001-0813-572-0585

RECOMMENDATION(S): Motion to approve Resolution.

Attachment(s): Resolution

RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, the Town of Davie/Young at Art Program wants to significantly upgrade the cultural opportunities for the underserved communities in Broward County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie will apply for funding from the Broward Cultural Council, Education and Community Development Program Grant as a governmental entity to enhance and increase the availability and quality cultural opportunities by providing funding for art and ballet classes; and

WHEREAS, the Town must provide a 50% cash match for this Cultural Grant; and

WHEREAS, the Town is committed to the belief that the arts are a necessity in the development of contributing members of society, and the Town advocates and supports comprehensive arts education programming in Davie that increases awareness and understanding of the arts and artist in our society.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA.

- <u>SECTION 1</u>. The Town Council of the Town of Davie does hereby authorize the Mayor, Town Administrator and/or appropriate staff to submit an application for funding the Town's Cultural Young at Art and International Ballet Academy Program.
- <u>SECTION 2</u>. The Town Council authorizes the Mayor to accept the grant, if awarded, and to execute the required match of \$30,000 for such program.
- <u>SECTION 3</u>. The Town Council authorizes the expenditure from the Diversionary Latchkey Cultural Grant/Recreation account number 001-813-572-0585.

TOWN CLERK

ATTEST:

APPROVED THIS ______, 2004.